Payments to sugarcane growers

1846. SHRI SHARAD ANANTRAO JOSHI: Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) the statutory minimum price and the State administered price for sugarcane, State-wise and year-wise during the last five years; and

(b) the average price effectively paid to growers, and the balance due to be paid to the growers, State-wise and year-wise during that period?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (DR. AKHILESH PRASAD SINGH): (a) and (b) A statement showing the range of Statutory Minimum Prices (SMP) fixed by the Central Government and the price paid by the sugar factories during the last five years, State-wise, year-wise is enclosed as Statement-I (See below).

A statement showing the cane price payable, cane price paid and the balance amount to be paid at the end of the sugar season(s) i.e. 30th September, during the last five years is enclosed as Statement-ll

Statement-I

Range of statutory minimum price of sugarcane notified and the price paid by the sugar mills in different States of the country

(In Rs. per quintal)

State	2000-01		2001-02		2002-03		2003-04		2004-05	
	SMP	Price Paid	SMP,	Price Paid	SMP	Price paid	SMP	Price Paid#	SMP	Price Paid##
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	'11
Punjab	59.50 to 72.10	96.00 to 100.00	62.78 to 78.84	100.00	69.50 to 85.10	70.00 to 100.00	75.55 to 93 40	92.90 to 100.00	94.50 to 92.98	92.00 to 100.00
Haryana	59.50 to 68.60	104.00 to 110.00	64.24 to 75.92	104.00 to 110.00	69.50 to 87.54	104.00 to 110.00	79.80 to 93.40	104.00 to 110.00	75.38 to 96.50	85.55 to 117.00
Rajasthan	59 50	N.A.	64.24	86.30 to 107.50	77.70	N.A.	___	86.30 to 107.50	___	86.30 to 107.50
Uttar Pradesh	59.50 to 74.20	86.00 to 95.00	6205 to 81.76	92.50 to 100.00	69.50 to 89.18	69.50 to 100.00	73.00 to 92.50	71.95 to 100.00	74.50 to 95.62	81.95 to 112.00

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11
Uttaranchal	—	—	—	------	71.14 to 82.62	N.A.	79.80 to 84.90	79.85 to 100.00	80.66 to 87.70	76.67 to 112.00
Madhya Pradesh	65.80 to 74.20	77.50 to 94.05	62.05 to 78.11	65.48 to 96.48	73.60 to 88 36	75.00 to 97.02	81.50 to 91.70	8200 to 98.98	80.66 to 95.62	77.50 to 117.23
Chhattisgarh									8682	N.A.
Gujarat	64.40 to 81.90	65.00 to 85.50	66.43 to 83.22	66.43 to 83.22	76.88 to 96.56	48.50 to 51.00	85.75 to 101.05	80.50 to 132.60	154.18 to 100.90	94.00 to 163.60
Maharashtra	59 50 to 96.60	60.00 to 96.60	62.05 to 100.74	62.05 to 96.00	69.50 to 113.78	56.00 to 96.56	73.00 to 118.90	56 00 to 103.60	74.45 to 110.58	70.00 to 136.00
Bihar	60 20 to 66.50	81.00 to 86.00	64.24 to 69 35	66.84 to 86.00	69.50 to 76.88	69.50	73.00 to 83.20	67.25 to 83.20	75.38 to 85.06	72.27 to 95.00
Assam	59.50	72.50	62.05	74.00						
Andhra Pradesh	62.30 to 83.30	67.90 to 88.10	63.51 to 86.14	63.51 to 86.14	69.50 to 94.92	69.5C to 92.18	77.25 to 101.90	69.06 to 101.90	74.50 to 101.78	74.50 to 103.40
Karnataka	60 20 to 9330	60.00 to 83 50	6205 to 92.71	70.00 to 88.00	69.50 to 103.12	69 50 to 91.60	73.00 to 108.70	65.00 to 102.47	74.50 to 99.14	77.14 to 130.00
Tamil Nadu	59 50 to 76 30	59 50 to 87.93	6351 to 81.76	64.24 to 8289	69.50 to 9574	69 50 to 95.74	76.40 to 10360	70.32 to 99.02	74.50 to 100.02	78.02 to 100.02
Kerala	N.A.	N.A.	6205	N A	N.A	N.A.	73.00	—	—	- —
Orissa	59 50 to 74.20	59.50 to 83.00	67 16 to 75.19	7500 to 7800	73 60 to 75 24	69.82 to 8300	77 25 to 8320	73.62 to 8500	74.50 to 92.10	80.00 to 92.10
West Bengal	59 50	7600 to 84.00	6205	77.00 to 8500	69 50	N.A.	7385	79.60	74.50	N A.
Nagaland										
Pondicherry	59 50	59.50	6205 to 6543	6205	69.50	64.50	84 05 to 85.75	91.00	85 94	101 00
Goa	71 40	N A.	70.81	N.A.	7360	N.A.	79 80	80.00	78.02	70.00 to 105 00

(P) Provisional (N.A) Not Available (#) As on 30.9.2004 (##)Ason 30.9.2005

(*) In respect of the States of Maharashtra. Gujarat. Karnataka and Orissa the final cane price payable by the sugar mills is decided after the closer of sugar season.

Statement-ll

State-wise season-end cane price arrears for the last five sugar seasons

(In crore rupees)

State	Sugar season 2004-05	Sugar season 2003-04	Sugar season 2002-03	Sugar season 2001-02	Sugar season 2000-01
Punjab	Nil	14.48	144.83	79.22	6.31
Haryana	0.04	Nil	13.43	0.03	29.28
Rajasthan	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Uttar Pradesh	19.44	229.68	819.77	613.45	151.61
Uttaranchal	0.82	24.68	82.16	97.77	—
Madhya Pradesh	0.05	0.96	3.42	2.96	4.45
Chhattisgarh	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
Gujarat	107.01	14.01	58.29	57.60	86.16
Maharashtra	10.40	165.31	86.97	57.85	19.12
Bihar	0.46	3.99	35.40	4.03	16.54
Assam	Nil	Nil	Nil	0.04	Nil
Andhra Pradesh	Nil	7.18	76.33	5.25	11.20
Karnataka	32.66	165.33	101.13	81.34	70.60
Tamil Nadu	37.50	20.34	194.79	111.59	183.42
Kerala	Nil	Nil	1.77	Nil	2.76
Pondicherry	Nil	Nil	1.48	0.14	0.06
Orissa	Nil	Nil	Nil	3.70	2.87
W. Bengal	Nil	Nil	2.49	Nil	Nil
Goa	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil	Nil
TOTAL:	208.38	645.96	1622.26	1114.97	584.38

Source: Fortnightly reports on cane price arrears for the respective sugar season as on 30th September.